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THE HAROLD PRATT HOUSE

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Dear Allen:

Late this week we want to send out invitations to the annual dinner of the representatives of the Committees on Foreign Relations, to be held this year on June 5th. In our letter of invitation Joe and I thought we would announce that you will speak on "Ideological warfare and will lead an informal discussion of the problems involved in its effective use by the United States in its pursuit of Gold War objectives." The intent of this phrasing is to give you as wide latitude as possible, but if you would like the wording changed in any way, please let me know.

In the same mail you will get a letter from Henry Roberts stating that the next meeting of Mr. McCloy's group on U.S.-Soviet Relations will also be held on June 5th. This we regret very much but Mr. McCloy's schedule, I am sorry to say, made the date mandatory.

Bob Amory contributed a lot at the last meeting, and all of us felt we wanted him as a permanent member of the group in addition to yourself, if that is possible.

Very sincerely,

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